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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
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11 LEE MAX BARNETT, )  
12 ) Case No. 2:99-cv-02416-DJC-DMC  
13 Petitioner, )  
14 ) **CAPITAL CASE**  
15 v. )  
16 ) **ORDER**  
WARDEN of San Quentin State Prison, )  
Respondent. )  
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18 Before the Court is a motion, ECF No. 415, brought by Petitioner Lee Max Barnett to  
19 substitute James S. Hill, the Warden of the Richard J. Donovan Correctional Facility (RJD), as  
20 Respondent in place of Chance Andes, the acting Warden of San Quentin State Prison. Mr.  
21 Barnett's counsel aver that the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation  
22 transferred Mr. Barnett from the custody of Warden Andes of San Quentin State Prison to the  
23 custody of Warden Hill at RJD.  
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25 Petitioner's counsel represent that Respondent's counsel, Deputy Attorney General David  
26 Lowe, does not oppose the motion.

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1 The Court finds good cause to grant Petitioner's unopposed motion. Accordingly,  
2 pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2242, Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 25, and Rule 2(a) of the Rules  
3 Governing Section 2254 Cases in the United States District Courts, James S. Hill, Warden at  
4 Richard J. Donovan Correctional Facility is substituted as respondent for Chance Andes, Warden  
5 at San Quentin State Prison.

6 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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8 Dated: October 17, 2024

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11 DENNIS M. COTA  
12 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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